# **RUMORS OF WAR** ARE CIRCULATING THROUGH EUROPE

BOLSHEVISTS CONCENTRATING MASSES OF TROOPS ON WEST-ERN BORDER, NEAR POLAND

GERMANY SUPPLYING WAR MA-TERIAL, REFUSES TO DISARM ACCORDING TO TREATY

HENRY WOOD,

(United Press Staff Correspondent) Paris, Dec. 29-Rumors of war are again circulating in the council chambers of Europe.

These reports centered about both Russia and Germany, the latter being concerned in the former's martial preparations.

While the bolsheviks were said to be massing troops along the western frontier in readiness, the Germans are alleged to be keeping a steady stream of ammunition moving toward Moscow.

Meantime Germany's refusal to demobilize the citizen guard has brought a serious situation to a climax in cluding the possibility of allied occu pation of the Ruhr industrial district and perhaps other parts of Germany

In French official circles it is declared that the allies are determined to carry the issue to a conclusion with Germany which so far has evinced no signs of yielding.

Allied military leaders are said to be in daily conference here.

Prospects of another major campaign by the bolsheviki are considered so certain that the allies are reported to be shaping their policies with this contingency in view. The French chamber of deputies have set aside sixty million francs to furnish war material for border states against which the red drive is reported to be directed, particularly Poland and Roumania.

The French foreign office declared that War Minister Trotsky recently the entire operation would be at a already been made and the police say doubled the strength of the red caval- standstill until at least Feb. 1, ry division which is now estimated to total 100,000 men. The soviet concentration along the Esthonian and Lettish frontiers are said to approximate

The allies are declared to be extremely anxious to maintain solid bulwarks of the border states against the bolsheviki. Esthonia and Latvia are recognized as friendly, but Lithuania leans toward Moscow.

#### GERMANY SIDESTEPS THE DISARMAMENT OF CITIZENS GUARD

(United Press)

Paris, Dec. 29-With rumors of a new war fitting about European chan- na, Ark., the scene of the crime. The cellories, Germany complicated the pursuers have taken boats and gone situation today with a brusque reply to the island. to the allied demand for disarmament of the citizen guard.

The German reply linked the allies demand with the Brussels financial conference, declaring the conference could not be successful under such exaggerated demands.

The formal reply was handed the Italian and French ambassadors and British charge. The hint that the financial conference might be broken

up was made orally. French officials called the German linking of the economic and political question "shameless," and declared there might be "grave complications."

#### Nine Quakes Rock Valparaiso in Day

Santiago, Dec. 29-Reports from Valparaiso state that the city was well and other tasks indifferently or shaken by nine earthquakes on Sun- poorly. It is hardly worth while for day, one of which was violent enough the mistress to attempt to change a BY PASSING A LAW FORBIDDING two weeks, when he will move to new to cause a panic in a theatre. Several worker's natural manner of work or quakes were felt in towns around Val- habits! Some workers plod slowly for paraiso but no damage was reported. hours and they are not the kind that The uneasiness of the population was ods. The thing to do is to try to find increased because the day was the out how they work best and improve third "critical day" of the period dur- their efficiency along that particular ing which Captain Nuno, of the Chil- line. ean navy, further predicted quakes.

#### **BRITISH OFFICIALS** CONSIDER DISARMAMENT

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 29-The British offi- village of Ada, ten miles east of here, cials today were absorbed in inter- is burning. The town hall, four stores national disarmament. The sugges- and one residence have been contion of Secretary of the Navy Daniels sumed. The fire started from an exfor international conferences on re- plosion in a barber shop. Ada has largest cotton manufacturing towns in duction of armament, was welcome. | a population of 450.

LUTHER C. STEWARD

**CLOSES DOWN** 

FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD-

EMPLOYS 50,000 MEN-BUSI-

NESS DEPRESSION CAUSE

(United Press)

where approximately 50,000 men are

employed, has been closed for an in-

definite period, it was unofficially an-

The plant was practically shut down

ast week when it was announced that

an inventory would be taken from

Dec. 24 to Jan. 3. While it is pos-

sible the shops may remain idle many

EXPECT TO CAPTURE

(By United Press)

Wilson, Ark., Dec. 29-The long

chase for Henry Lowry, negro, who

has been sought by scores of armed

men in connection with the crime of

killing two white persons and wound-

ng two others Saturday, seems to be

nearing an end today. Reports re-

ceived here said that he had been sur-

rounded on Island Thirty-four in the

Deserts Bride of Week

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 29-The

so informed her mother yesterday.

Idiosyncrasies.

there are personal idiosyncrasies in

every worker, and that each worker

does some kind of work especially

OF ADA BURNING

(United Press)

MICHIGAN TOWN

The thing to be remembered is that

Mississippi river just opposite Node-

Pseudo Rickenbacker

and won a bride.

**NEGRO MURDERER** 

nounced today.

the shutdown.

# SUNDRY CIVIL APPROPRIATION BILL INTRODUCED

CUTS APPROPRIATIONS OVER 50 MILLIONS COMPARED WITH LAST YEAR

A. L. BRADFORD

(United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Dec. 29-The first of the big appropriation bills laid before congress today bore the marks of efforts to reduce governmental expen-

The measure was the sundry civil appropriation bill which was reported o the house by the appropriation ommittee.

The bill calls for a total of \$383, 311,292.41, which is \$52,237,514.41 less han carried in the similar bill last vear, and \$420,914,192,45 less than requested by the government depart Luther C. Steward, president of the

National Federation of Federal Em-The appropriations in the bill are o provide for a large sum of miscelaneous government activities during the fiscal year beginning next July.

There is included in the bill an ap or disability, compensation, hospital reatment and vocational rehabiliaion for world war veterans.

Deducting this sum from the mount recommended in accompany ing bills, Chairman Good of the appro priation committee said, leaves \$160, 611,292,41 for all other purposes as compared with \$126,922,750.79, the Detroit, Mich., Dec. 29-The Ford amount carried by the sundry civil Motor company Highland Park plant, act for the fiscal year 19116.

#### JAPAN MODERN; **GRAFT ABOUNDS**

H. W. KINNEY,

(Upited Press Staff Correspondent) Tokyo, Dec. 29-The city of Tokyo has been excited by the discovery of days following the completion of the widespread graft in the municipal inventory, reports were current that government. Numerous arrests have that many more will follow. Captain he feels certain that there is not a single municipal enterprise in the Japanese capital which will not show irregularities.

> The investigation so far has conof the city government. The persons arrested include a number of officials and contractors. It has been found that exorbitant sums have been paid by certain officials for the gravel which is the principal material used bribes having been given freely by comp in commemoration of the late emperor. This made a great impression on the people, who feel that at least that enterprise should have been let them love and support you, and

In Japan, which like most other countries in the Orient is the home of "commissions" and similar gifts and man who, posing as Eddie Ricken- presents which would be termed graft backer, married a New York girl here in western countries, official pecula last week, has deserted his bride of tions of this kind must be extremel a week in Chicago, the young woman vicious before they attract attention The pseudo Rickenbacker is said to case they intend to investigate to the have been a groom from a St. Augus- bottom. In this they are backed up tine man's stables. Posing as the by Count Oki, minister of justice, wh noted American airman, he was lav- says that both Tokyo and Kyoto, the shly entertained in the best society former capital, are rotten with graft

# CALIFORNIA-JAP **QUESTION SETTLED**

ALL ALIENS FROM OWN-ING LAND

(By United Press)

San Francisco, Dec. 29-Assembly man Albert Rosenshin, of San Fran cisco, announced today that he would introduce into the session of the California legislature opening next Tuesday, a bill forbidding any aliens from owning land in California. The Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 29-The anese from owning land.

> "City of Spindles." This is a name popularly given to Lowell, Mass., which is one of the the United States.

CAPT. ARTHUR MILLS



Capt. Arthur R, Mills, who has made 1,068 crossings of the Atlantic for the American line in 41 years of service, propriation of \$223,000,000 for death steaming more than 3,000,000 miles, or a distance equal to 128 times around the world. His vessels have carried more than 500,000 passengers without the loss of a life. He has just

# WOMAN DEMANDS PUNISHMENT FOR HUSBAND'S CRIME

SAYS HER CONDUCT DROVE HIM TO MURDER HER AFFIN-ITY

(By United Press)

James Monroe today demanded that an illicit liquor traffic, according to conditions were given as the cause of gation section of the police, says that ment which her husband might have incurred through the murder of Al-

Monroe said he had heard reports Snooks and Mrs. Monroe and he encerned itself mainly with the street tered Snooks' room and killed him improvement and sewer departments and seriously wounded Wm. Wade, who was also in the room at the same

n road and street construction, large with him. He was madly in love with groups of contractors. Graft was I like a fool answered them. My shown in the construction of the new husband was always good to me. I nounced he would bring injunction great Meiji shrine, opened with great wanted fine clothes and would not

> have good husband to "stay home and do not try to break into their world

### Townley Has Not Resigned as Head of the Nonpartisan League

(By United Press)

ey, head of the nonpartisan league, asserted today that he has not re

"You see I am pretty busy, don' you?" he said in reply to a repor He said he would remain here fo short time but that the organiza ion and drive in Kansas would be IS KNOWN TO FAVOR U. S. OCCUkept up all winter. His temporary headquarters will remain here about

#### Kansas Labor Court To Rule on Open Shop

(United Press)

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 28-The queson of the "open shop" is before the affairs committee. Application of the Fort Scott Sorg- sidering the need for ecenomy in govmeasure will extend to all aliens, the hum Syrup company for abrogation of ernment affairs with his desire that present California law forbidding Jap- its contract with the local union of the United States keep in first line of the International Brotherhood of naval powers. Some legislative lead-Firemen and Oilers, is the first case ers are prepared to apply their prunbrought by employers under the in- ing knives to army and navy approdustrial court act, W. L. Huggins, priation bills, and effect a major porpresiding judge, said today. Previ- tion of the savings in these two di- as a spectator at a play. This hapbrought to the court by workmen.

# HURLEY LIQUOR DEALERS ARE IN ASHLAND JAIL

FOUR-FIFTHS ARE ITALIANS AND SICILIANS, BALANCE GREEKS AND FINLANDERS

(United Press)

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 29-Fifty-seven arieties of liquor law violators in the Ashland county jail today muttered and grumbled against the law that permitted federal agents to close heir places of business in Hurley, Wis., yesterday ,and herded them nere for arraignment.

They are not yet formally under rrest it developed, therefore they an not be arraigned until Deputy U 3. Marshal W. P. Pugh, of Superior arrives here on the 11 o'clock train o perform that function. The liquor agents who herded the men here carried warrants, but are not functioned o take the men before U. S. Commissioner Walter Kates.

One of the men was missing when he train arrived here last night He was believed to have left the train at Ironwood before it started out, as it was not closely guarded. About four fifths of the men are Italians or Sicil ans, agents said. There were a few Greeks and Fins. Agents admitted that some of the places closed yester day were reopened today, but that hey were not selling liquor.

"It will take weeks to clean up all he liquor supply there," agents said. There is a lot of private stock we annot get at. If there is drinking n Hurley today the stuff is not be ng sold over counters."

Some Plead Guilty

Ashland, Wis., Dec. 29-United faced a stream of "hard guys" at his

They came from Hurley, Wis., at the suggestion of a throng of armed prohibition agents who closed the soft Denver, Colorado, Dec. 29-Mrs. drinks bars that were worn thin by

Most of the "hard guys" pleaded guilty, but those a little more literate, who knew something of the laws, pulled out big rolls of bills to cover concerning the friendship between their bail. Others went back to the

> U. S. Deputy Marshal Pugh, of Superior, who formally arrested the fify-seven "varieties" shortly before were present with almost every kind of evidence obtainable to prove that hey "caught them with the goods."

Gets Out Injunction Chicago, Dec. 29-Prohibition Commissioner Richardson today an suit against saloons in which the men of Hurley are alleged to have been zio be returned to the government to selling liquor illegally. He said the gether with the shipping seized by the suits would be filed in LaCrosse federal court as soon as Leo J. Hannah deputy enforcement officer, returns rom Hurley where he lead the square of federal agents in a raid on saloo vesterday. The evidence on which to base the injunction has been obtained by Hannah, the officer announced The injunction will be to prevent the sale of liquor in places owned by the men concerned, and if liquor is sold Salina, Kan., Dec. 29-A. C. Town- they can be adjudged in contempt of

# HARDING CONSIDERS U. S. NAVAL POLICY

PYING FIRST LINE IN NAVAL

RAYMOND CLAPPER United Press Staff Correspondent.

Marion, Chio, Dec. 29-Naval poliexpected to be taken up during a conference today between President-elec Harding and Congressman Kelly, of Michigan, member of the house naval ball and were adapted probably from

Harding faces the problem of conous industrial disputes have been rections. Others see in this a dang- pened in puritan times in 1642, when erous trend toward false economy.

TASKER L. ODDIE



States senator from Nevada to succeed Charles B. Henderson. Mr. Oddie was formerly governor of Nevada.

# TRUCE ARRANGED IN FIUME FIGHTING

REGULAR ITALIAN TROOPS HOLD HALF OF CITY-ADRIATIC TREATY RECOGNIZED

CAMILLA CIANFARRA

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) Rome, Dec. 29-With the Italian egular army in control of over half f the city, a truce was in effect tolay, while Fiume authorities were presented with full knowledge of Gatates Commissioner Walter Cate brielle D'Annunzio's consideration to yield to the government demand for he recognition of the Adriatic treaty

as a basis of permanent peace. Cessation of hostilities were greet d with joy all through Italy, where nationalists had begun to arrange emonstrations to protest against their own blood.

Casualties in the two days' fighting were reported not high considering the big advance made by the regulars A total of fifty dead on both sides with probably two hundred wounded. comprised the casualty list. The re port that four hundred had been killed vere not credited here where official statements held the list down. To lay's truce resulted from a confer ence between Mayor Gigante and Col demand that the regular forces be STOP DANIELS' withdrawn to their original position. ernment's original demands that the Dalmatian islands seized by D'Annun

#### BANDITS HOLD UP INDIANA BANK

(By United Press) Culver, Ind., Dec. 29-Five bank

bank here today and shot two of the eading business men.

Three of the alleged robbers were captured by a posse of civilians here fifteen minutes after the robbery after BOY, SIX, SHOOTS gun battle in which a hundred shot were exchanged. Two of the alleged members of the gang were taken into ustody by a Knox, Ind., policeman. Most of the money obtained was recovered from the captured men.

Beginnings of Baseball.

Abner Doubleday, who later went to West Point and ultimately became a major general in the United States army, is given the credit for originating the game, in 1839. He and some other young men began to play a game they afterward called baseball. One of these, named Cartwright, had the idea of a diamond to improve the game, "Two Old Cat" and "Three Old Cat" were still early forms of the English game of rounders.

London's First Theater.

It is a little difficult to realize that in London, the Mecca of the Englishspeaking theater devotee, there was a time when an order was passed by parliament for the compulsory closing of these "palaces of amusement" and making it a crime to be present only two English theaters existed.

# **BOY BANDITS** HOLD UP FAST MAIL TRAIN

SECURE \$2,000 IN LOOT FROM THE PASSENGERS-ARE LATER ARRESTED

(United Press)

Chicago, Dec. 29-Two youthful bandits, brothers, were in jail today following their nervy holdup late last night of a New Orleans-Chicago fast mail train on the Illinois Central rail-

With their revolvers the two youths covered James R. Rowe, flagman, near Gilman, a village about eighty miles from here, and boarded the fast train.

Looting of pockets of passengers netted the bandits \$2,000 in money and valuables. The bandits left the train near Kankakee, Ill., and were captured by a posse following a re-Tasker L. Oddie, Elected United volver duel during which one of them. Jacob Scott, was shot. His brother surrendered without a fight. Both boys said their home was in Greenville, Ill.

Bandits are Twin Brothers

Kankakee, Ill.; Dec. 29-Working in heir father's little automobile shop n the village of Greenville near here, was an uneventful existence for Jacob and Joseph Scott.

The two youths, twins, 24 years of age, decided to add excitement to the humdrum life and held up the New Orleans Chicago train on the Illinois

Central. As a result of their adventure Jacob s dead today from the bullet of a railroad detective's gun, and Joseph was in jail here. Their father and mother in Greenville were heartbrok-

The boys boarded the train in true wild west fashion. James Rowe, flagman, was the first to learn of their presence. He was climbing aboard he rear car as the train was getting started over the ice covered rails at Gilman when he felt two revolvers sticking in his ribs. "We are going stick up the rattler." the two ban lits said. "Toss your old lantern as

isual and then climb aboard." As the trio swung aboard the seccom scolded has brother for forgeting his other gua. The lad said he ad left it at home. With handker-.ict: over their faces they dashed nto the Pullman giving orders to 'Stick them up" and the passengers

"We are tough eggs and we mean usiness," the two said. "Anybody naking a noise is a goner."

## ATTEMPT TO FURTHER NAVAL EXPANSION

(United Press)

Marion, Dec. 29-Republican leaders olan to stop Secretary Daniels' proosal for further naval expansion, Congressman Patrick Kelly, of Michgan, said while here today consultng with President-elect Harding on aval matters.

"No new ships will be authorized, and the appropriations for the comng year probably will be sliced \$50,-000,000 below last years figures," acording to Kelly, who is a member of he house naval affairs committee.

# SISTER AGED TWO

(By United Press)

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 29-While Martin Walochi and his wife, who live several miles east of this ity, were here in search of work and food last night, their son Walter, aged 6, found his father's shotgun. Pointing it at his sister Cecilia, age , the weapon was accidentally discharged and her face blown off. The parents discovered the tragedy when hey returned home early today with small quantity of food.

#### Penrose will Take Charge of the **Emergency Tariff Bill**

(United Press)

Washington, Dec. 29-Senator Pencose, of Pennsylvania, chairman of he finance committee, is expected in Vashington next week to take prinipal charge of the fight over the mergency tariff bill, Senator Mclumber, ranking republican member of the committee, announced today.

· Forecast for next 24 hours: Minnesota-Generally fair 4 tonight and Thursday, not & much change in temperature.

Cooperative observer's record &

Dec. 28-Maximum 12, mininum 17 below. Reading in eve- 2 a ning 12. South wind. Cloudy. 4.

Dec. 29-Minimum during 4 nthe night, 11. West wind. Ris- 4

#### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For spring water phone 264. Richard Trudgen of Aitkin was in

town today. Overcoats Tailor Made as low

\$25 at Oberst's. The government thermometer reg

istered 32 at noon. Daily matinee at the New Lyceum 2:15 p. m.

polis this afternoon.

Send a New Year card to that friend who remembered you Christmas time. Handsome line H. P. Dunn's druggist.

A. J. Linden and son of Pine River were in the city today.

Your Grocer will furnish you Occedent Flour, if you insist. 167t10 Gil Harrison of Crosby was Brainerd business visitor.

Wood sawing. Jackpine per cord two cuts, 90c; three cuts \$1. John Ethen, Phone 213-W.

C. R. Middleton of Baudette w in the city on business.

Lester Burton has gone to James town, N. D. to visit relatives.

A "Thank You" card beautifully expresses your appreciation for your Christmas remembrance. New line at H. P. Dunn's druggist. Judge M. A. Spooner of Bemidji

was in the city on legal matters. D. D. Schrader went to Pequot this

afternoon on insurance matters. Big Holiday Discount Offer until Sat- stir. urday. All who enroll this week will get advantage of this big saving on day and start the Winter Term next Monday Brainerd Commercial Col-

John Wahl of Duluth was in Brain- the Lake Superior division of the erd and Barrows on business matters

All This Week Shoe Sale a: Oberst's. Get your share of the splendid bargains offered during this sale

Clearance sales are under way fr Brainerd and assisting in stock re ductions.

The Big Winter Term starts next Monday. Enroll for it this week and get our Holiday Discount. It means a big saving on any Course you select. Others are snapping up this opportunity, you should, too. Brainerd Commercial College.

Mrs. S. L. Mathis and son Brue went to Princeton today to visit with her parents.

Special shoe bargains at Obert's this week. Don't overlook this op-

While Brainerd basked in the banana belt today, Duluth was in the threes of a snow storm.

Trained muscles and an untrained head means certain failure from now | | on. Let us give you the training that

will insure your success. Enroll for Northern Pacific railway company, is Court of King Cole", which was sucthat training this week and receive the Big Holiday Discount Winter Term starts next Monday. Brainerd 176t4 Commercial College

Johnny and Marie Hoffbauer ar visiting their grandparents in Long Lake township for a week.

his week since he is offering many

The price Oberst asks today for a that the GOOD OLD AMERICAN Laurel St.

ng his parents in Milwaukee, Wis.

The Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co. is distributing the new telephone books, issue of December.

175tf Cylinder cars. Just like new, A snap lege. Harold Opsahl came from Minnea- if sold at once. Don't wait until spring as you will pay more if you do.

Miss Eva Donant of Minneapolis guest during the holidays of he

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Donant

reat big price reductions all through he line. Come and see them you will than other brands. It is well worth be astonished at the splendid values it. and the deep cut prices at Oberst's.

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> Mrs. P. B. Qually, of Caledonia, is 1007 Grove street.

W. H. Strachan, superintendent of

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in the city today. If you want the best flour that comes to town, ask for OCCIDENT.

Ben Zakariasen left for Stewartville this afternoon, having been sent by the University of Minnesota as a nember of the gospel team.

orices stabilized in spring, a large

123 merchants will extend a Happy New Year greeting to their friends Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zapffe and chil- in the weekly isue of the Dispatch on ren are spending the holidays visit- Dec. 31 and the Daily Dispatch of the

The public library will be closed er to go in business. No capital until Saturday, January 8, during the required. Inquire Lane & Lappin, vacation of the ilbrarian, Mrs. T. E. 165 if Jones, who will visit friends and Hall, Fort Ripley. Hands orchestra. relatives in Tracy.

Hard Times need have no terror for ou. Get our Business Training and you won't be out of a job. Save money by enrolling for your Course this week. The Winter Term starts next Two 1920 Five Pasenger Buick Six Monday. Brainerd Commercial Col-

> uet at the Ransford hotel Tuesday evening, 15 being present. Tonight 0 members of the class of 1929

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kimball of Mrs. Helen Gustafson for the hollays. Mr. Kimball is a manual training teacher in Fargo schools.

Occident Flour costs a little more

The funeral of Patrick McDonald, Attorney and Mrs. Hilding A. be held Thursday morning at 8:30 wanson spent the holidays with o'clock at St. Francis Catholic church, Rev. Father James Hogan officiating.

cessfully produced in Brainerd under American Legion auspices.

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mount of building is expected in a real occurence and doubt as to its THANK YOU and New Year Cards, it was distinctly seen in Southeas + ing temperature, being 29 at 8 + Royal Tailored Suft will convince you Brainerd Office Supply Co., 614 Brainerd by Johnson Brothers and 175t2 by Mrs. Henry Bentley

> ODD FELLOWS REBEKAHS Dancing After Regular Meeting

Dance January 1st Johnson Bros.

Brainerd and now a resident of Minn capolis, was brought to the N. P. hospital here to be operated on for gallsons, L. E. Houston of Jamestown, N

D., and Richard Houston of Minne

New Years Day Legal Holiday, all stores will close as usual at 6 o'clock p. m. Friday and remain Closed Until Monday, Business Men's Association

Dispatch wants measured 2 help Mrs. Harriet Purdy Smith of Chi- your ads Northwest 74, or mall the

and young women to learn railroad bert R. Denzene. Mr. Frewerd was and commercial telepraghy at the impressed by the changes in Brain-

Barber shops will be open to 9 p.

was formerly in 1916, in charge of "Wanted: A few more young men the Brainerd office, succeeding Hererd and the, rogress made since that time in a. lines of industry here.

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C. Sanborn heard the case of E. Dano, Walker logger, who has filed a claim ieral will be held Friday at her home of \$2,700 against the estate of the in Spring Valley and Rev. and Mrs. late James Ingram. His attorneys Cooke have gone to attend the ser- were Whitney & DeLury, of Walker,

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earn interest from January 1st.

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Of the more than half a million who have bought it—the overwhelming majority did so because of the name it bore.

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It has always been thought of, and is still thought of, first, and foremost, and all the time, only in terms of its goodness, and the results it gives.

All of this is wonderful, in one way, and quite natural and logical in another. It all dates back to the day when

John and Horace Dodge conceived and designed and finally built the car -after warning each other, and their associates, not even to think of it in any other terms than the best obtainable value.

They began with a few almost absurdly simple principles, bluntly expressed and rigidly executed, about decency and honor and integritysuch as most of us wrote in our copy books at school.

They reduced these old copy book maxims to a splendid and scientific system, pouring more, and more, and still more value into the car, and then marshalling all the resources of modern massed manufacture to get their product into the hands of the people at an honorable and an honest cost.

These policies and principles have never been changed, and never will be changed, by so much as a hair's breadth; and they have come to be recognized and accepted as Dodge Brothers principles wherever motor cars are driven.

It has all happened as John and Horace Dodge planned it quite simply, naturally, and automatically, all over America, and all over the world.

People do discriminate, as Dodge Brothers contended they would; people will find out when a motor car is well built and gives good service and great good value.

Dodge Brothers market today is where they planned to locate and establish it-in the mind and the heart of every man and woman who admires good work, well done.

It will last, and it will keep on growing, as it has kept on growing for five years (faster than Dodge Brothers works could keep pace with it), as long as the number of those who believe that a manufacturer should build to serve and not merely to sell, continues to increase.

All is well with Dodge Brothers today, because John and Horace Dodge builded well in the beginning, and because their business will continue to build well until the end.

ROSKO BROTHERS

9th and Laurel Sts.

#### GIVE VOLUNTARY

Tomorrow is Pay Day—When at the Bank Don't Forget to Contribute Mite to Europe's Starving

Contributions, large or small, will be received at any of the banks in the city and a receipt given for the money. Tomorrow is pay day. If you have not contributed, won't you leave your contribution with any of the banks tomorrow, or during this week?

Churches, and those who belong to churches, have turned in almost all the money received here up to date. If the many organizations in the city do as well as have the churches. Brainerd's share of the \$33,500,000 will be over-subscribed.

The committee believes that the citizens of this city will give to a cause like this without requiring someone to call upon them and extract the cash, as in war days.

Many of our people grumbled then because of the pressure brought to bear to secure money for the various funds. These said: When the right cause presents itself, I'll give without compulsion. The children who are hungry, cold and dying in Central Europe appeal to the people of the United States at this time.

The county chairman sees about \$750 in Brainerd up to date. \$3000 is about what we ought to raise to meet our share of the total sum which represents 30 cents for each person in the United States.

The committee asks that pastors, secretaries, or representatives who have money for this fund hand it in at the First National bank at their earliest convenience,

#### Obituary

George Erwin was born in Macena New York, July 16, 1858 and died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Anthony of Brainerd, Dec. 23. Mr. Erwin was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Ainsworth of Powell, S. D., on February 19, 1885. To this union was born six children, four daughters and two sons. He is survived by his wife and five children, one daughter dying in infancy. The children are Mrs. Nellie Anthony of Brainerd; Mrs. Maude Ritter of Strasburg, Ill.; Mrs. Edna Jillson of Vashti, N. D.; Frank Erwin of Amherst, S. D.; Curtis Erwin of Amherst, S. D.

Beside the wife and children, he has one brother S. W. Erwin living in Los Gatas, Calif.; two sisters Mrs. F. W. Benson of Delia, Alta., Canada and Mrs. Thomas Neal of Mankato.

The remains were sent to Ipswich, N. D. for burial, short services being held at the B. C. McNamara chapei, Rev. E. A. Cooke, officiating.

### Mid-Week Meeting

The mid-week meeting of the First Baptist church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, will be the last of the old year. It will be the covenant meeting of the church preceding the first communion service the first Sunday of the year. Every member of the church and congregation should be present. This is an important meeting. The second study in "Personal Evangelism" will be taken up. The pastor will lead.

### Jackson-Dobbs

Married Dec. 28 at 3 p. m., Lee W. Dobbs and Miss Amy M. Jackson, both of Battle Lake, Ottertail county, Rev. E. A. Cooke of the First Methodist church officiating. They will make their home in Hibbing where he has a position as a stationary fireman at one of the mines.

### Watch Night Services

Special watch-night services will be held in Zion Evangelical church Fourth Ave. and Forsyth street Friday evening beginning at 9 o'clock.

First there will be the annual business meeting of the congregation; then a social hour followed by an hour spent in devotional exercises.

## Zion Evangelical Lutheran Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Main and Broadway, will hold the regular meeting on Thursday afternoon at the usual place. Election of officers for the coming year will be one of the important business features. All ladies are earnestly requested to attend.

# How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that

cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh suffers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Polson

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After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials.

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# Pre-Inventory Sale

Thursday and Friday, Dec. 30-31

# House Dresses

House Dress of fine quality ginghams and percales. Made in attractive styles and colors. All sizes. Unusual values.

# Women's Winter Coats

Group 1 \$34.75 Group 2 \$19.95

Group 3 \$13.75

All Dress Skirts

An offering of high grade merchandise, in which lines are somewhat broken, at discounts that are extremely unusual.

The opportunity to save in this sale is really remarkable in that every item is marked regardless of profit. However, we adopt this means of clearing our stock to simplify the taking of our annual inventory.

1/3 off

On all Ladies and Children's

Shoes

Girls

Coats and Dresses at 1/3 off

All Suits go at

1/3 off

# Silk and Wool Dresses

Group 1 \$24.95 Group 2

\$19.75

Group 3 \$13.75

# Children's Hose

65c and 50c Quality now

38c

# Light and dark Percales 25c

Light and dark Outing 25c

One-third off on all Corsets

# Women and Children's Underwear

| \$4.75 | Quality | now | \$3.50 |
|--------|---------|-----|--------|
| \$3.25 | Quality | now | \$2.25 |
| \$2.50 | Quality | now | \$1.75 |
| \$1.75 | Quality | now | \$1.25 |

# Nightgowns

A good assortment of Outing Flannel

One-third Off

# Lonsdale Muslin

36 Inches Wide-Bleached

25c per yard

# Dress Goods and Silks at Greatly Reduced Prices

# Blouses

Silk and Georgette

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# Boys'

# Fleeced Union Suits

Fine Ribbed, extra quality, sizes 24 to 28

\$1.25

Sizes 30 to 34

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# Sheetings and Pillow Tubing

At Greatly Reduced Prices

An opportunity to save if you do your buying now. Remember two days only--Thurs. & Fri. Dec. 30-31.

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Admission: Lower Floor: 50c - tax included Balcony: 25c - tax included

# Shows:- 7 and 9 p. m.

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Now that the Duluth News Tribune | Gustafson has ascertained that the old 1918- Soderlund good until the legislature puts out a new law, the Dispatch begs to minds the Babcock people that in t year of 1921 the automobile own will be paying their personal prope taxes of 1920 due in 1921 and wh include their cars. Then in addit they will be called upon to pay Babcock tax, whatever it will be, and payable in 1921.

It would be showing good sense make the burden easy this year, in far also as Duluth people, we belie are to pay a wheelage tax in addit to the two taxes enumerated above

### HURLEY, WISCONSIN

Hurley, Wisconsin, which to all ac counts, rivalled a cross section of the Klondike or Goldfields in its wildest Little days, with beer and whiskey flowing, Kelsven roulette wheels spinning, has had its exuberance checked by a detachment of unfeeling prohibition agents.

Hurley was just steaming into high to celebrate the New Year "right," when the government agents cleaned up the town. Today Hurley feels like a man with a thumping headache and dry, furry taste.

### MARKET REPORT

### Minneapolis Cash Grain

Wheat-No. 1 dark northern \$1.73 1-4 to \$1.76 1-4; No. 1 dark northern \$1.70 1-4 to \$1.73 1-4.

Corn No. 3 yellow 65 to 66c. Oats-No. 3 white 42 7-8 to 45 7-

Barley-Choice 70 to 76c. Rye -No. 2 \$1.51 1-2 to \$1.52 1-2. Flaxseed—Fancy \$1.91 to \$1.92.

### South St. Paul Livestock

Cattle-Receipts 3000; market weak to 25c lower.

Hogs-Receipts 10,000; market 25c lower; top price \$9.50; bulk of sales \$9.30 to \$9.40.

Sheep-Receipts 500; market 25c

### St. Paul Hay Market

Timothy-No. 1 \$20; No. 2 \$18; No. 3 \$12.

Clover Mixed-No. 1 \$19; No. 2 Alfalfa-Standard \$24; No. 1

Midland-No. 1 \$10; No. 2 \$9; No.

BRAINERD DISPATCH ADS PAY

**BOWLING SCORES** MADE ON MONDAY

|     |            | ELI | 82  |      |       |
|-----|------------|-----|-----|------|-------|
|     | Kunitz     | 149 | 146 | 157- | - 452 |
|     | Alderman   | 148 | 175 | 144- | - 467 |
| - 1 | Adams      | 167 | 178 | 144- | - 489 |
|     | Ziebell    | 130 | 157 | 149- | - 436 |
| 0   | Stephenson | 199 | 191 | 135- | - 525 |
| 15  | Handicap   |     | 52  | 52-  | - 156 |
| 00  | Total      | 845 | 899 | 781- | 2525  |
| 0   |            | K.  | Ρ.  |      |       |
|     | Seeger     | 201 | 169 | 132- | - 502 |
|     | Clark      |     | 139 | 105- | - 371 |
|     | Johnson    | 118 | 136 | 165- | - 419 |
|     | Swanson    |     |     | 139- | - 454 |
|     | Blake      | 135 | 134 | 149- | - 418 |
|     | Handicap   | 89  | 89  | 89-  | - 267 |
| K   | Total      | 819 | 833 | 779  | -2431 |
| ,   |            | MOO |     |      |       |
|     | Kylo       | 197 | 136 | 145- | - 478 |
|     | Little     | 222 | 170 |      |       |
|     | Hartel     | 107 | 119 | 146- | - 572 |
| 0   | Ziske      |     |     | 181- |       |
|     | Con        |     |     | 370  | 200   |

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BRAINERD DISPATCH ADS PAY Dunn, druggist

CHICKENS PAY

M. E. Wheeler Says Farmers Better Off if They Sold a Horse and Put Money in Chickens

M. E. Wheeler, who lives on the Clow farm in Home Brook, says that nary troubles. many farmers would be better off to if the kidneys are at fault an article published in the Pequot Re-

297 speltz \$25, tankage \$13.45, and chick Doan's Kidney Pills-the same that

136-451 feed \$19.80, a total of \$184.46. 210 hens, or about \$1.50 each.

Besides the value of the eggs eaten, Mr. Wheeler did not figure the eggs he set, which was between 400 useful metals, though it lacks the

Violates Traffic Laws.

"While returning to camp one night I walked right into a herd of ele- work, phants," states a well known explorer in his memoirs. We have always maintained that all wild animals above the size of a rabbit should carry two head lights and one rear light while traveling after dark .- London Punch.

E-Soldier Has a Good Stomach army he surely would have to have a good stomach. I have a good one now and Foley Cathartic Tablets

made it that way." If any one does 217 not believe this, let him write to Ar thur L. Lyons, 454 Cincinnati St., Dayton, Ohio." That is from a let-ter received by Foley & Co. H. P.



## SWEAR OFF

Swear off that continuous hacking cough by buying a bottle of Lammon's "Best" Cough Remedy, a Compound Syrup of Tar with Extract of Cod Livers and Menthol. "Best" is right-you will agree with us after trying a bottle.



DESTROYS SLEEP

Many Brainerd People Testhy to

You can't sleep at night With aches and pains of a bad back When you have to get up from uri-

sell one of their horses and put the | Set them working right with Doan's

\$507.69 Drug Co. They soon fixed me up in failed in reaching this point in "Treas-

Nickel Highly Prized Metal, Nickel is regarded as one of the most

prestige of silver and gold. It is bright and hard and noncorrosive and in combination with iron it has been in great demand for war equipment and for bridges and other structural

Cut This Out-It la Worth Money Cut out this slip, enclose with 5 ddress clearly. You will receive in Chicago, Ill., writing your name and eturn a trial package containing 'oley's Honey and Tar Compoun for coughs, colds and croup, "If a man spends six years in the Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf



WE HOPE

That this New Year may be to you the very happiest you have ever known and that new joys may ring in with the birth of each succeeding day. In asking you to give

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Among the remarkable endorse

ure Island."

"The Last of the Mohicans' is decidedly a cinematographic

rials, tribulations and romances."

he city, through the schools, con- healthy body, as they are

At the New Lyceum

far-reaching one. The wonderful Thursday, makes use of numerous un

the unfolding of the plot by predict ing developments in advance of their

There is also a two reel comedy.

SPECIAL NOTICE: Dr. Frederic grow strong and healthy. tion of 5-grain Argo-Phosphat lets will increase the strength endurance 500% in a few weeks tir "Billions," Nazimova's latest con- P. Dunn.

(Formerly the "Best")

Today & Thursday

Daily Matinee, 2:15-10c-15c Night, 7:15 & 9:00-15c-25c (Above Prices Include Tax)



Special Treat --- 2

See the World's Greatest Actress

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Also Al Cook, the famous Wm. Fox Comedian in a twopart Sunshine Comedy "IN WRONG"

Arrange to attend our Daily Matinees and avoid the Night Rush.

COMING FRIDAY

Elaine Hammerstein in "Shadow of Rosalie Barnes" Chas. Chapin and Fox News

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The Greatest Program We Have Yet Booked-

Jack Dempsey in "Dare Devil Jack"

First Chapter of a Wonderful 15-Episode Serial. Tom Mix in "The Untamed"

Rolin Comedy and Pathe News

# WATER, WATER IS USED EVERYWHERE

Water Meters Installed by Water and BOY INJURED IN Consumption of Water

WOULD FLOAT A BATTLESHIP

One Hotel Said to Have Used Half the Capacity of Water Tower in Seven Days

under Indian treaty enactments, etc., sway, but the wildest dry dreamer never had an idea that Brainerd would so soon develop such an alarm ing taste for water as has been revealed by a few days' working of the new water meters installed by the water and light board.

Names are omitted, but there is one unofficial report covering a hotel where it is reported 150,000 gallons 40 cents a thousand this would represent the neat sum of \$60 for a water bill.

The Brainerd Dispatch office put into effect the general standard rul ing in print shops where the offic towel stands the brunt of inky fings. and water is used sparingly as a wash or beverage. In nine days the Dispatch used 45 gallons.

A business house with leaky toile and running taps was found to have a meter registration of 4,476 gallor in two days, which would cost \$1.79. Another business house used or wasted as the case may be 8,812 gallons in BRAINERD'S two days at a cost of \$3.52. Meters are read shortly after installation to \$ let people know how much is being

The minimum rate will be \$1.50 @ too late for publication that ehe and the cost per thousand gallons will & N. P. Man on the crossing and & probably be 40c. The meter system & a pop manufacturer had observ- & will do much to check waste of all & ed a full blown rainbow in the & church on Friday evening at 10:3

CHRISTMAS TREE

St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday School & inspiring sight and the eye . Has Successful Entertainment on Monday Evening

St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday school held its Christmas entertainment on Monday evening. The program was toose in the death is more 4 mainly by the younger children, allarly pleasing feature was a song by the primary department.

At the proper time Santa Claus aypeared, and distributed many gifts, to the delight of the little ones and making a deal of merriment for all. tion taken by the school for Near & U. S. Weather Eureau, station-East Relief, which had entitled the 4 ed at Minneapolis and he can 4 school to two "Invisible Guest Cer- & worry about it

dance, showing the interest of parents and others in the school.

Shop Men

Tomorrow is pay day. The chair man of the county committee of the & lizards to hop across and get & European Relief Council asks you to o the smoke fuel for him. No one 4 remember the starving children and o responded and Boe just had to o leave your subscription, large or o run over himself to get his o small, at one of the banks.

Card of Thanks

thanks to our friends and neighbors & they have put in a sideline of . for their kindness and sympathy & popcorn. It was raised in this & when our beloved son and brother, & dear old county and it is won-James Christiensen, was taken from 🍦 derful stuff. Each kernel pops 💠

meeting to elect officers, Dec. 30 at | 4 store at the time and Joe said 4

We wish to thank all who kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our husband and father and

for the floral offerings.

Good for Him and His Wife
Hurley L. Watkins, 2308 Lytle St. | Ransfe
Louisville, Ky., writes: "I found & year h wanted for my wife's and my colds Checks coughs, colds, croup, bronchial coughs; stops that "tickling" throat that keeps one coughing at night. Contains no oplates nor habit 4 O'Brien spotted them and harforming drugs. H. P. Duan, drug-

She Says It Can't Be Beat Deep seated coughs that get hold of one in Autumn should be stopped now or they may continue ail winter.
Mrs. Wm. F. Davis. R. F. D. 1, Short
Creek, W. Va., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar can't be beat for colds." It checks coughs and bronchial irri-tation, heals raw, inflamed throat tation, heals raw, innamed drug-loosens phlegm. H. P. Dunn, drug-mwf evening.

# HUNTING ACCIDENT

Herman Schwartzkopf, Aged 15, Has Right Foot Badly Mangled by Shotgun Charge

Brainerd has been dry for years HAPPENED AT AHRENS HILL

long before national prohibition held Two Little Companions Carried the Wounded Boy to The Northwest Paper Co. and Got Aid

> A rabbit hunt staged by three small boys brought disaster to one struck the ground and tore away par f the right foot of Schwartzkopf.

The two carried the injured boy to The Northwest Paper Co. mill Prosser of Dunwoody Institute, Minn on and Reimestad operated at th Northwestern hospital. The lad wil the foot will be saved so as not t

ODDEST STORIES

sky about 4:30 p. m. One end 4 of than our meteorological dewyum was sure to ascertain some-. G. Purssell, meterologist of the 4

Boe Rappel run over himself 4 o the other day. Boe has an iron . 4 ko Brothers he ran out of cigar- 4 - de ets and asked several garage de

We desire to extend our sincere At Alderman-Maghan's store Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Christiensen, & bearing strawberry. Jim Al- & that they would give \$5 for 4 7:30 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall. . . . the two bushels he raised in the blue ribbon quality too and he &

> fed regular while loaned and their coats are nice and glossy.

Men's Club The Men's club of the Norwegian-

with J. B. Johnson at his home this

EDITORS TO MEET AT CROOKSTON SOON

Cooperation to be Chief Topic at Gathering of Northern Minnesota Editorial Association

TO BE HELD JANY, 20, 21 AND 28

Governor-Elect J. A. O. Preus is On the List of Speakers, Also Dr. C. A. Prosser of Dunwoody

Plans for the coming annual meet ng of the Northern Minnesota Editorial association at Crookston, Jan 0, 21 and 22, have been announced by A. G. Rutledge. Questions to be iscussed will include greater co-operation betwen publishers of th tate and the advertising and publ city agencies. Special invitation have been issued to advertising me

of Grey Eagle ,president of the na Sleepy Eye, former treasurer of the national association: H. C. Hotalins field secretary and former president of the national association; Governor elect J. A. O. Preus, and Dr. C. A

A special tribute will be paid dur ng the meeting to the late L. W Forum; M. I. Forkner, Langdon Pic eer and L. J. Bowen. Hope Pionee

Sweeney Says:-

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NEW MANAGER

Mis Delphia Foster Succeeds Miss Ethel Knopp as Manager of Brainerd Office

Miss Delphia Foster, for a year the Micient assistant and messenger at he Western Union office in Brainerd, has had her merit and ability recognized by headquarters and was made uperintendent of the local office acceeding Miss Ethel Knopp of Wi ona, who after a short visit at he ome, will go to Grafton, N. D.

Miss Foster knows Brainerd thor oughly and has been an adept a finding people. She is good-too as telegrapher and "sends" accurately She is posted in bookwork. Her as istant is Miss Stella Houle.

Miss Foster has set out to make the Brainerd office a good paying of ice and will appreciate the cooperaion and support of business interests and other Western Union pa-

Card of Thanks

I give my hearty thanks to the nany frierds who gave me their votes in the co test and enabled me to win a piano lamp from the Gruen

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| Fancy Cream Cheese, Ib  | 30c |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Pink Salmon, ib can     |     |
| Red Salmon, Ib can      | 350 |
| Fancy Bulk Cocoa        |     |
| Palm Olive Soap, 3 bars | 250 |
| Milk, tall cans, 2 for  |     |

Fancy Regular Ham 8 to 10 Pounds 23c - Per Pound - 23c

| Yellow Peas, 3 lbs             | 99 |
|--------------------------------|----|
| Amer. Sardine in Oil, 3 cans   |    |
| Jack Eabbit Soap, 3 cans       |    |
| Pillsbury Cereal Vitos 2 pkgs. |    |
| Fancy Blue Rose Rice, 3 fbs    |    |
| Pop Corn, 2 pkgs.              |    |
| Strawberry Jam, per Jar        |    |
| Strawberry Jam, large can      |    |

1 Lb. Monarch Coffee and 1 Lb. Monarch Black Tea 90c



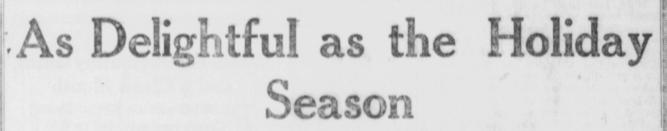
#### TRUE VALUE

At this time of generally unsatisfactory buying conditions, it is emphasized to the thoughtful purchaser that the true value of a corset does not lie in the number of dollars you pay for it, but in the number of days it will wear beyond the life of the average corset and continue to give you the Joy of possession it gave the first day you put it on.

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The New Year by purchasing a Piano for your children. It will pay you big re-

Invite you to call in and look over our most complete stock. Such as the Kimball, Schiller, Hobart, M. Cable and other makes.

(TERMS MAY BE ARRANGED TO SUIT)

Hall Music House Brainerd Minn.





Dispatch Want Ads Pay



# Plan Ahead For 1921

The old saying that "the man who thinks ahead, gets ahead," still holds true. NOW is the time to make your plans for the coming year. Determine a business course that will bring you a full measure of success in 1921.

Plan to spend more wisely, to be more economical, to make more use of this strong, frendly bank. These suggestions deserve your serious consideration as you start the New Year.

Brainerd State Bank Brainerd Minnesota

Dispatch Want Ads

#### NORTHWEST NEWS

Northwestern Lumbermen Meet

Minneapolis, Dec. 29-Problems of before the 31st annual convention of Only an infant daughter survives. the Northwestern Lumbermen's association to be held here Jan. 18, 19 and

Legislation affecting the building industries now before congress and state legislatures will be discussed.

The convention probably will be the largest in the history of the asso-

#### Wants New Trial

er for a new trial lapse today Layer, now serving a life sentence in the state penittentiary, is alleged slayer of the Wolf family last spring.

sion by Layer in which he admitted the crime. Now he alleges he was subjected to the third degree and mal-

### Proceedings in Bankruptcy

States for the District of Minnesota Fifth Division

In the matter of Markus Grande, bankrupt, in bankruptcy. Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States, for the District of

Manganese, in the County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 29th day of October, A D. 1920, last past, he was duly ac judged bankrupt under the Acts o Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the require ments of said acts and of the orders

of the court touching his bankruptcy Wherefore he prays that he may h decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge. Dated this 6th day of December

MARCUS GRANDE,

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Fifth Division, s On this 24th day of December, A. D. 1920, on reading the foregoing petition, it is Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1921, before said court, at Duluth, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Brainerd Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said district and that all known creditors and oththe said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, address ed to them at their place of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth, in said District, on the 24th day of December A. D. 1920 (Seal of the oCurt)

CHARLES L. SPENCER.

By J. C. Herman Engel, deputy

treated until he confessed He asks

Seven members of the Wolf family, tremendous importance to the home including the parents and five chilbuilder and manufacturers will come dren and a hired boy were killed.

#### CHARACTER TOLD BY HAND

Charles Schwab Can Afford to Disregard Appearances, but Not So the Average Man.

Charles Schwab, the steel king, was pictured recently in the feature section of a New York newspaper wearing a pair of ragged, decrepit-looking gloves. To every appearance they Bismarck, Dec. 29-The 30 days might have been a little token to the granted by Judge Nussle for filing of magnate from the ashman. Beneath the picture was an explanation by Mr. Schwab that he had "worn these gloves for over a year."

Dirty, soiled, ugly gloves! And yet Charles Schwab, one of the greates industrial lords of the earth, proudly Authorities have a signed confes- boasted how long be had made them

Mr. Schwab's boast doesn't ring sin cerely. He probably would not advise one of the rising young executives of his company to wear old gloves or solled gloves. On the contrary, he like-In the District Court of the United ly would "call down" that young executive for doing exactly what he has bragged about.

Mr. Schwab can afford to wear those gloves. If he wanted to he probably could wear green golf knickers to work, and get away with it. But the rest of the world, exclusive of Mr. his fee, while in Belgium a solicitor is Dempsey, Mary Garden, Babe Ruth, Markus Grande, of the Village of and other prima donnas who have "arrived," so to speak, in their respective the fortune-teller and clairvoyant are careers, must watch its step.

A noted American psychologist re-

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cently said that he could tell more of honor," and payment is rarely gifts-but we make our own hands.

they show that he is careful of his appearance, thus indicating his self-respect, or are they ragged and dirty?

Worn, solled or out-at-the-finger gloves create exactly as unfavorable an impression as dandruff on the collar or an unintentional open-worked

In spite of these facts many men who are otherwise scrupulously particular about their personal appear ance never grow a bit perturbed upon noticing that their gloves look like a last summer's bird's nest.

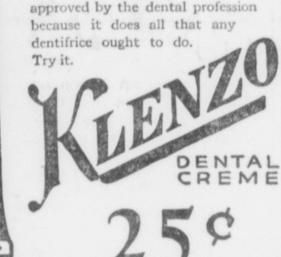
#### Debts That Need No Payment.

English law does not recognize gambling or betting debts, as a general a barrister cannot sue for his fee. practice with regard to gambling debts as ourselves. Venezuela is one of the very few states in which such debts are collectable by law. In Holland you cannot sue for a bet made upon cards, but you can for one on a horse race or any similar outdoor sport. In Sweden a physician cannot sue for in a similar position. By Chinese law. not only the doctor, but also the priest, without legal remedy. All these debts are, however, looked upon as "debts

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to withdraw his plea of guilty and about a man by his hands than any evaded. The same sort of idea withother physical factor. Our faces are regard to debts of honor holds good our gifts-and a lot of them look like everywhere else, and, absurd as it tude of about 13,500 feet (two and seems, a man who fails to pay a gam-One look at a man's hand gives you bling bet of \$50 is in a far worse postan instant line on his character. Is tion socially than another who goes signed mask and an oxygen tank. At the hand soft and flabby? Or is it the through the bankruptcy court. hand of a man who does things? Does France's way of treating bankruptcy ter miles) observers noticed that he he shake hands like a man? Or does differs from ours. There a bankrupt he extend you a collection of clammy is deprived of all rights of citizenship, which are not restored to him until he reported by all aspirants to the alti-What do his gloves look like? Do has paid his debts in full.-Montreal tude record. To a figure correspond-

#### Interesting Altitude Test.

corps recently successfully subjected to a height of 39,360 feet, the trial was himself to a test to determine whether stopped and air slowly admitted to the or not life could be sustained at 12,000 | cylinder that there might be no disasmeters. (39,360 feet, or about seven trous shock. and one-half miles) altitude, says Pop-

start the exhaust pump was given. At a pressure corresponding to an sitione-half miles), the experimentor was compelled to resort to a specially de about 30,000 feet (five and three-quarseemed to experience difficulty in moving to the height of about 34,000 feet (six and one-half miles) the subject closed his eyes as though weary. As A lieutenant of the French aviation | the barometer touched a figure equal

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